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Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation Department of Natural Resources Office of Conservation P. O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

RE:

8650' Sand, Reservoir B

GIBSON FIELD

Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of Kaiser-Francis Oil Company to the Commissioner of Conservation for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the 8650' Sand, Reservoir B, in the Gibson Field, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the 8650' Sand, Reservoir B, in the Gibson Field, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana.
- 2. To create a single drilling and production unit for this sand and to force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created.
- 3. To designate a unit operator and a unit well for the unit so created as may be appropriate.
- 4. To provide that any future wells drilled to the 8650' Sand, Reservoir B, within or outside of the unit created herein, should be located in accordance with the provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).
- 5. To provide that the Commissioner may reclassify the Reservoir by supplemental order and without the necessity of a public hearing should such reclassification be warranted, based on evidence furnished the Commissioner.
 - 6. To discuss any other matters that may be pertinent to this application.

The 8650' Sand, in the Gibson Field, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 478-W. effective September 16, 1997.

In addition to furnishing the legal notice to all Interested Parties, the applicant will provide for <u>POSTING</u> of the legal notice of the hearing and unit plat in a prominent place in the area of the Gibson Field, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana, and will cause the legal notice of the hearing to be <u>PUBLISHED</u> in a newspaper of general circulation published in the vicinity of the Gibson Field, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana, at least fifteen (15) days before the hearing date.

Any pertinent data relating to the subject application can be obtained, **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY**, from David Comeaux at Leon E. Comeaux & Associates, P. O. Box 53922, Lafayette, Louisiana 70505 (337)233-9839.

In compliance with the Rules of Procedure, a preapplication conference was held in Lafayette, Louisiana, on April 25, 2007, at which the parties named on the attached list were in attendance.

The conference was opened with a discussion by Mr. David Comeaux, representing Kaiser-Francis Oil Company concerning the nature and purpose of the conference and the bases for the applicant's proposed unit.

Questions were asked and answered, but there were no counterplans presented. There was no opposition expressed at this conference.

There are attached hereto and made a part hereof a plat outlining the proposed unit, the conference attendance list, and a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom this application is being sent. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such list of parties and proposed unit plat (being the same plat attached to the March 28, 2007 preapplication notice) are being furnished ONLY to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation. However, said plat and the list of parties will be provided to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, there is enclosed our check on behalf of the applicant, Kaiser-Francis Oil Company, in the sum of \$755.00 payable to the Office of Conservation and representing the required hearing application fee.

Sincerely,

LEON E. COMEAUX & ASSOCIATES

David Comeaux

DC/cu Enclosures

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson
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Interested Parties, Interested Owners and Represented Parties

